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TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1917.

HIGHER INSURANCE RATES IF IMPROVEMENTS NOT MADE.

Mr. Voter and taxpayer do you know that recently the fire inspection bureau of Omaha made an inspection of the city of North Platte and in the report made stated that If North Platte wished to retain the fourth class rating that we now have certain improvements would have to be made in the fire department and its equipment.

called for a reorganization of the department into three companies, each company to have charge of a separate piece of apparatus. One piece, a hose cart with 500 feet of fire hose, was to be located in the Fourth ward hose house, and to be looked after by one company; the other two companies were to have charge of the hook and ladder and motor trucks.

We have recently reorganized our department which now consists of two companies, with provisions for a third company as soon as the necessary number of men volunteer. It is impossible to get them to volunteer under the present conditions.

Therefore Mr. Voter it is up to you to provide suitable quarters for the volunteer firemen and the necessary equipment so they can bring the depart ment up to the standard demanded by the insurance companies or they will be raising your insurance rates.

Which do you prefer, to pay an extra dollar towards a permanent building to house your fire department and apparatus or pay an extra dollar or more to the insurance companies? For

ing \$900 for the animal. Fifteen minutes after he made the purchase he was offered \$1,000 for him, which goes to show he secured an exceptional value. -Hershey Times.

Bound over for Child Stealing.

Walter Rauche, of Hershey, aged twenty\_nine, who was brought back from Omaha by Shriff Salisbury on the charge of abducting Ruby Hutchinson, aged fourteen, was arraigned in the county court Friday, plead not guilty, waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the district court under bond of \$1,000. He furnished surety and returned to Hershey. -11011-

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Ann LeDioyt was born in Maine, N. Y., June 4th, 1840, and died at Paxton March 18th, 1917. She was narried at Morris, III., in 1862 to Rosvell LeDioyt who died in 1880. Mrs LeDicyt moved to Hastings, Neb., In October, 1884, and resided there until March, 1885, when she located on a homestead near Paxton. Four sons are left to mourn the loss of a devoted mother. They are Peter and Albert of Paxton, George of Hershey and Herman of North Platte.

Hig Business at Hershey.

The Hershey Times says that during 916 \$471,500 were distributed in the icinity of that village under the folowing heads: Beets and salaries \$127,000, wheat, rye and oats \$118,000, hogs and cattle \$109,000, hay and alfalfa \$85,000, poultry, produce and cream \$22,000.

During the year Hershey shipped .864 cars of products, which included 618 cars of beets, 982 cars of hay, 147 The recommendations of the bureau of live stock and 53 of wheat. The number of cars of merchandise received during the year was 177.

> Notice of Final Report Estate No. 1430 of Silas A. Hill, de-

In the County Court of Lincoln Coun-

y, Kehraska.
The State of Nebraska, to all persons necessed in said Estate take notice hat the Accamistrator has filed a final ecount one report of his administraon and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have seen are for nearing before said court in April 20, 1117, at 9 o'clock a. m. when you may appear and contest the

hen you me. Historical March 2k, 1917, FRENCH, GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

NOTICE OF PETITION

Estate No. 1470, of George Schick, Deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska: To all persons interested in said Estate, take notice that a petition has been filed for the appointment of John E. Evans as administrator of said estate, which has been set for hearing on April 13, 1917, at 2 'oelock a m.

on set for head 9 'oclock a. m. 1917.
Dated March 21, 1917.
GEO. E. FRENCH,
County Judge.

Vacation of Part of Road No. 26.

To all whom it may concern:

The consent petition of John J.

Ginapp and others, has been filed in office of the County Clerk of Lincoin County Nebraska, asking for a vacation of Part of Road No. 20.

Vote for the fire station house bonds and we promise an efficient fire department and lower insurance rates instead of higher.

NORTH PLATTE VOL. FIRE DEPT Section 32, to the one-half section insurance asking from 11, range 27, running south through sections 3-16-17-20-29, in town 11, range 27, to the one-half section insurance rates in the office of the County Clerk on or before 12 eclock noon of the 26th day of March, 1917, or said road will be vacated without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte Division.

Notice of Sale

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NOTICE. DECREE OF HEIRSHIP Estato No. 1468 of Etta Lou Cobagen.

Confer Degree on Many.

At a special oreeting of the I. O. O. F. Priday evenings, twenty candidates were given the Patriarchal degree. The program for Jahr evening was in charge of George and John Powler and Loren Schwertz. A chicken suppersum of Jahr evening was served by the ladies of the Rebetah lodge agree was severely-eight.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

The Pathe disc record is indestructable. Sold by the Music Shop.

Himser Thompson, of Chappell, visited the home folics the first selection and selection as the name of the home folics the first selection. The sale Cheap—Good six-hole range sieve. Inciden at §2. We had been all for some time, was able to out Saturday.

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Attorney G. N. Gibbs returned to Ogalalia Sunday evening after viviting Rev. Melbald for several days.

Mrs. greed Garbow, of Cody, wye, is the guest of Mrs. L. W. Walker, having arrived a few days ago.

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REFEREE'S SALE.

I. O. E. Elder, the undersigned referee, in partition proceedings pending in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, in which William A. Wilson is plaintiff and Mrs. Mable Wilson, William S. McCord and James R. White, guardian of William S. McCord, are defendants, will, in pursuance of an order therein, sell at public systems to the highest hidder for Estato No. 1468 of Etta Lou Cohagen, deceased, inthe County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The heirs, creditors and all persons interested in said Estate, will take notice that on the 8th day of March, 1917.

T. M. Cohagen, an heir of said decedent, filled his petition herein elleging that the said Estate Lou Cohagen died intestate on or about May 2, 1913, a resident of Lincoln County, and that at the time of her death she was the owner of or had an Estate of inheritance in Lot 5. Block 9, Penniston's Addition to Original Town of North Platte Lincoln County, Nebraska, and that no application has been made in the said State for the appointment of an administrator. That she left surviving her:

T. M. Cohagen, father, age 56, residing at North Platte, Neb. Christina Cohagen, mother, age 52, rasiding at North Platte, Neb. That all the debts of the said decedent have been paid, and praying that regular administration by waited and the court of the Water Company's Adventeen (14), Block Two (2), of the Water Company's Adventeen 141, Fifteen (15), Sixteen they have been paid, and praying that they have been paid they have been paid.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

To the Eeletors of the City of North

To the Electors of the City of North Flatte, Nebraska:
Notice is herby given that at the general City election to be held in the City of North Platte, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1817, the following proposition shall be submitted to the voters of said City:
"Shall the City of North Platte, Nebraska, issue its bonds in the sum of \$12,000.00 in denominations of \$1,000.00 each dated June 1, 1217, due in twenty years from date but payable at any time after ten years at the option of said City, to draw interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum payable seminanually, principal and interest payable at the office of the State Treasurer in the City of Lincoln, Nebraska, said bonds to be issued for the purpose of obtaining money with which to erect and construct a Fire Station House on the lot now owned by said City towit:—On the Southwest corner of Front and Vine streets in said City, said Fire Station House to be for and to accommodate the Fire Department and fire apparatuses of said City.

And shall the proper officers of said City be authorized to levy and collect a tax annually in the same manner as other municipal taxes may be levied and collected in an amount sufficient to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they mature, as provided by law, until said bonds and interest are paid, on all the property within said city, as shown and valued upon the assessment rolls of the assessors of said City, said bonds to be negotiable in form.

The polling places for said election

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION IN OSGOOD PRECINT

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Osgood Precinct, in the County of Lincoln, in the State of Nebraska, on the 10th day of April, 1917, at which the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of said Osgood Precinct, to-wit;

"Shall the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, issue Ten Thousand 00-100 (\$10,000) Dollars, of "Osgood Precinct Bridge Bonds," in denominations of One thousand 00-100 (\$1,000,00) Dollars, each, bearing interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and principal payable at the office of the State Treasurer of the State of Nobraska, in the City of Lincoln, in the County of Lancaster, in the State of Nobraska.

Said bonds to bear date of July 1st, 1917, and the interest on said bonds to be payable on the 1st day of January, 1918, and on the 1st day of January and on the 1st day of January and on the 1st day of January and on the 1st day of July 1918, and conthe is the consecutively from one to ten inclusive, and the interest thereon to be evidenced by coupons thereto atached.

Bond number Two to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1928.
Bond number Three to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1929.
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Bond number Five to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1932.

Bond number Six to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1933.

Bond number Seven to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1934.

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Bond number Eight to become due Bond number Nine to become due and payable on the 1st day of July, 1936.

city, as shown and valued upon the said City, said bonds to be negotiable in form.

The polling places for said election shall be at and in the same polling places as for the general election shall be at and in the same polling places as for the general election shall be at and in the same polling places as for the general election shall ward in the Homan building, 505 Dewley street, in said ward; In the Second Ward in the Court Room of the Second floor of the Second Mard in the Court Room of the second floor of the City of Ward in the Home House, in said ward, and in the Fourth Ward at the Home House in said ward.

The bailota to be used for said bonds, and sufficient to pay five per soft the City of North Flatte, Nebraska, for the purpose of erecting and constructing a Fire Station House on the Interest and principal of said bonds as they must be sufficient to pay state of the Southwest corner of Fong and Vine the Five Department and fire apparatuses of said City, and for levying and collecting: — annually to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they must be such as the principal of said bonds as they must be sufficient to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they must be sufficient to pay five the bonds of the City of North Platte, Nebraska, for the purpose of erecting and constructing a Fire Station House to be branks, for the purpose of recting and constructing a Fire Station House to be branks, for the purpose of recting and constructing a Fire Station House to be branks, for the purpose of recting and constructing a Fire Station House to be branks, for the purpose of recting and constructing a Fire Station House to be branked to a commodate the Fire Desiremant of the such as the bonds of the City of North Platte, Nebraska, and collecting a fax annually to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they must be believed to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they must be believed to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they must be believed to the pay of t

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NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION, OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF NORTH PLATTE, IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, STATE OF NEBRASKA

Notice is hereby given that at the regular election to be held in and for the City of North Platte, in the County of Lincoln, in the State of Nebraska, and in and for the School District of the City of North Platte, in the County

s, and on the 1st day of July, 1918, do not he 1st day of July, 1918, and in and for the School District of the City of North Platte, in the County on said bonds shall have been paid. Said bonds to be numbered consecutive from one to ten inclusive, and sinterest thereon to be evidenced by apons thereto atached.

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Bond number Four to become due and yable on the 1st day of July, 1933.

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thorized to be levied by law, upon all of the Fixable property within said 8 food Listrict.

Said bonds to be issued for the purpose of paying past due indebtedness of said School District, approximately in the sum of Nine thousand 60-100 (\$2000.00) Dollars, and for the purpose of furnishing the manual training, and domestic science departments, in the Junior High School Building in said School District, approximately in the sum of Six thousand 00-100 (\$6000.00)

sum of Six thousand 00-100 (\$5000.00) Dollars." The Ballots to be used at said elec-The Ballots to be used at said election shall have printed thereon:

"FOR: Issuing Fifteen thousand 00-100 (\$15000.00) Dol'ars, of bonds of the School District of the City of North Platte, in the County of Lincoln, in the State of Nebraska, for the purpose of paying past due indebtedness of said School District, approximately in the sum of Nine thousand 00-100 (\$3000.00) Dollars, and for the purpose of furnishing the manual training and domestic science departments in the Junior High School Building in said District, approximately in the sum of Six thousand 00-100 (\$6000.00) Dollars, said bonds to be nesotiable in form, and to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and pencipal payable at the office of the State Treasurer of Nebraska, in the City of Lincoln, in the County of Lancaster, in the State of Nebraska, and which honds shall be due as follows: in twenty years from the date thereof, but may be paid at any time after ten which bonds shall be due as follows: in twenty years from the date thereof, but may be paid at any time after ten years from the date thereof at the option of the Board of Education of said School District; and for the levying and collecting annually, a tax in an amount sufficient to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as they mature, in addition to the taxes new authorized to be levied by law, on all of the taxable property within said School District."

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